		o A e navro	<u> </u>		Complete if Known		
	Specific of Form 144	9 A & B/PIO			Application Number	09/497,520	
	SINFOI	RMATION	DISCLOS	SURE	Confirmation Number	NOT YET ASSIGNED	
	OE 12 m STAT	TATEMENT BY APPLICANT			Filing Date	February 04, 2000	
2		DIVIDIVI D	1 m 1 Die	71111	First Named Inventor	Hyun-doo SHIN	
	(use	as many she	ets as necessa	rv)	Art Unit	2711	
1	RADEMARK SELECTION (use			- 77	Examiner Name	NOT YET ASSIGNED	
	Sheet	1	of	1	Attorney Docket Number	Q53233	

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
F .	C'4	Document		Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY			
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Number	Kind Code ² (if known)		Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document		
<u> </u>	7	US 4,541,116		9/10/1985	Lougheed		
<i>')</i> /		US 5,684,897		11/4/1997	Kumagai et al.		
		US					
		US					
		US					
		US					
		US					
		US					
		US	-				

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS								
Examiner	Cite	Foreign Patent Document			Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	m 6	
Initials*	No.1	Country Code ³	Number ⁴	Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Translation ⁶	
O/		EP	0 318 866	A2	6/7/1989	Polaroid Corporation	-	
						RECEIVI	ED .	
					DEC 1 6 20	102		
						Technology Cente	2600	
						<u> </u>		

OTHER PRIOR ART - NON PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS							
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city, and/or country where published.	Translation ⁶				
9		Jia-Guu Leu; "Image Smoothing based on pixel grouping"; Proceedings of the international conference on image processing; (ICIP); Washington, Oct. 23-26; 1995; LOS Alamitos, IEEE COMP. SOC. PRESS, US, vol. 3; October 23, 1995; pages 535-538, XP010197024					

		1	1.			
Examiner Signature		lerone	(me	AL	Date Considered	8-10-03
23.12.12.10.1	' 		W			

^{*}EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

¹Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ²See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov, MPEP 901.04 or in the comment box of this document. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST. 3). ⁴For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to indicate here if English language Translation is attached.